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For: MULTILAYER BOARD IN WHICH WIRING OF
SIGNAL LINE THAT REQUIRES TAMPER-
RESISTANCE IS COVERED BY COMPONENT OR
FOIL, DESIGN APPARATUS, METHOD, AND
PROGRAM FOR THE MULTILAYER BOARD, AND
MEDIUM RECORDING THE PROGRAM

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U.S. PATENTS

5,905,640

Hutchison et al.

FOREIGN PATENTS

Japanese Patent No. 11145401A w/ English abstract

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